

CARISSA OVATA (Syn. C. BROWNII.) Black Lime Bush.

This shrub, said by Prof. Maiden to be the same as Carissa Brownii, is described by Guilfoyle as an evergreen shrub from three to six feet in height with white flowers. It is said by Mueller to have edible fruit, largely used for jam. Introduced as stock for and for breeding work with the related Carissa grandiflora, which has shown itself so well adapted as a home garden fruit in the subtropics. From photograph presented by Prof. J. H. Maiden, Director, Sydney Botanic Garden, New South Wales.